

Shanghai Municipal Police.

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Central Police Station.

18th May

1916

REPORT ON attached letter re a Peace Conference.

Made by D.S.I. Brewster

Forwarded by

Sir

The office of the Chinese Peace Conference to which the attached letter refers, is located in a small filthy upstairs room at No 605 Honan Road. The only occupant is an old man named Tsang Loo Zung 張瑞生 a Native of Szechuen and an ex-Official. He explained that he started the movement for a conference himself and succeeded in interesting the other promoters who appear to be respectable although not prominent members of the Chinese community. The aim of the movement is the reconciliation of the North and South, irrespective of Party, and the cessation of hostilities. No subscriptions are asked for and the Society appears to be a genuine one although its aims may be somewhat far fetched.

Your Obedient Servant

W.B. Brewster

D.S.I.

Chief Det Insp.

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SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

CAPTAIN SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

Translation of a letter from the Business Office of Chinese Peace Conference addressed to the Chief Inspector of Police.

By Post.
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(Received 16-5-1916).

The Chief Inspector of Police,
Central Police Station.

Sir,

Fighting has taken place between the South and North and owing to the different opinions of the parties we are promoting a Chinese Peace Conference for the purpose of devising ways to exhort the parties, stop the fighting and maintain good order, and the peace & good order of the Settlement (or Settlements) will never be obstructed or interfered with.

The following are names and descriptions of 5 promoters:-

Zung Ming Yuen(陳明遠), Taotal of Canton in Tsing Dynasty. Has been a certain adviser in Japan & a Director of Kweichow Mining business.

Tsang Loo Dzung(張羅澄), An ex-official of the 4th rank and has been doing business in Shanghai for over 4 years and he has changed his name to Tsang Ngoo Chuen(張吾軍).

Yau Ming Zung(姚明仁), A gentleman of Shanghai Hsien.

Siau Ping Yien(蕭炳炎), A salt merchant of Szechuen.

Kao Dzoan Lee (高崇禮), a mining merchant of Chekiang.

(Stamped) Business Office of the Chinese Peace Conference.

* (C/O Yung Oo Ziang Hong, corner of Chaotung & Honan Roads.)

A copy of manifesto attached.

C.D.I.

* Is this agreement place?

A.S.H.
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